

Remarks

At this time, original claims 22 – 30 and new claims 49 – 60 are pending. Claims 1 – 21 and 31 – 48 are canceled without prejudice.

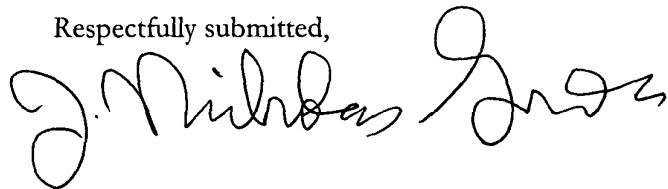
Minor corrections have been made to the specification to correct for typographical errors. No new matter is presented.

The remaining claims are directed (or are related in the case of new claims 49 - 60) to the group of claims identified as Group II in a restriction requirement issued by the Examiner on March 1, 2000 in grandparent case serial no. 09/304,244 - and in particular to a method of making a semiconductor package, wafers, and intermediary semiconductor structures.

Applicant submits that such claims should be allowable at this time over any prior art cited in the parent file history.

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Respectfully submitted,

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